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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Salesky et al.

Application No.: 08/823,744

Filed: March 25, 1997

For: REAL-TIME MULTI-POINT,
MULTI-SPEED, MULTI-STREAM
SCALABLE COMPUTER NETWORK
COMMUNICATIONS



Examiner: W. Vaughn

Art Unit: 2756

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 29, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

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Please cancel claims 3, 4-16 and 22 in their entirety without any prejudice, amend claims 1 and 2 and add claims 23-37 as follows.

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1. (Twice Amended) A conferencing system comprising:
at least one client;
a conference server;
network connections between the conference server and the at least one client,
wherein the at least one client maintains a version of a shared portion of a display which is

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